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FOREIGN NEWS ON APPLES

THE HAMBURG AND COPENHAGEN APPLE MARKETS

About 3,000 barrels and 16,200 boxes were offered at the Hamburg auction Thursday, November 19, according to a cable from Fred A. Motz, Fruit Specialist in Europe for the Foreign Service of the Department of Agriculture. This compares with 30,000 barrels and 43,000 boxes at this time last year. Prices ruling this week were somewhat lower than those of last week. About 200 boxes of Oregon Boscs were offered at auction. Prices for both apples and pears were much below those ruling at this time last year. The Hamburg market is still plentifully supplied with domestic stock, especially of the lower grades. A fairly wide selection of barreled varieties was offered on the Copenhagen market Tuesday, November 17. Frices were low. Winesaps topped the barrels in price.

Prices paid for American fruit at Hamburg and Copenhagen

	: Hamburg	
Variety, grade and origin	: 1930	: 1931
	: November 18	: November 19
APPLES BARRILS	: Dollars	: Dollars
Staymans, Va.	:	:
U. S. No. 1, 2½ inch min	$: 4.29 - 7.62 \underline{a}/$: 4.53 - 5.00
Utility, 2½ inch min	: 4.29 - 7.62 <u>a/</u>	: 4.05 - 4.53
Winesap, Va.	:	:
U. S. No. 1, 2 ⁴ inch min	: $6.19 - 8.22 \underline{a}$: 4.64 - 4.76
Ben Davis, Va	: $4.05 - 6.67 \underline{a}$: 3.33 - 3.81 b/
York Imperial, Va	: $6.19 - 7.50 \underline{a}$	
Black Twigs, Va		: 3.33 - 3.81 <u>b</u> /
BOXES	:	•
Jonathans, Wash.	:	
Extra Fancy 138/163	: 2.14 - 2.74	: 1.91 - 2.14
Spitzenbergs, Oregon	:	
Extra Fancy 138/163	: 2.86 - 2.98	2.14 - 2.38
Ortley, Oregon	:	
Extra Fancy 138/163	: 3.33 - 3.87	2.86 - 3.81
Winter Bananas, Oregon	:	•
Extra Fancy 138/163		1.67 - 2.38
PEARS BOXES	: ,:	,
Boscs, Oregon		
	:Copenha	
	1.950	1931
	November 18	
Winesaps, Va.	<u>Dollars</u>	Dollars
II S No 3 2 inch min	;	
U.S. No. 1, $2\frac{1}{4}$ inch min. Utility, $2\frac{1}{4}$ inch min.	: 4.76 - 5.60 <u>c</u> /:	4.24 - 4.81
York Imperials, Va.		3.58 - 4.15
II.S No 1 22 inch min	: 50 6 7	
U.S. No. 1, 24 inch min U.S. Commercial 24 inch min	5.72 - 6.31 :	3.21 - 3.77
Htility 22 inch min	- :	2.64 - 3.21
Utility,24 inch min	7 :	2.64 - 3.21
U.S. No. 1, $2^{\frac{1}{4}}$ inch min	:	4 6 6
Staymans, Va.	5.35	4.53
U.S. No. 1, 24 inch min	:	7 40 7 77
U.S. Commercial, 24 inch min	5.00 - 5.06 :	3.40 - 3.77
Utility, $2\frac{1}{4}$ inch min	- :	3.02 - 3.21
Black Twigs, Va.		3.02 - 3.21
U.S. No. 1, 24 inch min	•	7 50 7 55
Utility, 24 inch min		3.58 - 3.77
		3.30 - 3.40
Jonathans, Wash.		
Extra Fancy 150/175	•	2.07 - 2.26
Fancy 150/175.		
C grade 150/175	-	1.89 - 2.07
NOTE: Quotations are for fruit in good conditions	on unless otherwi	1.79
GOTE: Quotations are for fruit in good condition unless otherwise noted. Grade and size not given. b/ Around price quoted no size or grade given.		
c/ 2 inch. d/ U. S. Commercial		

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